## **HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 695**

## By Winningham

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Carolyn Smith for her decade of service as an employee of the Tennessee Department of Health.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that the members of this legislative body should honor those citizens who have performed with uncommon devotion and enthusiasm throughout their years of industry; and

WHEREAS, one such estimable individual is Carolyn Smith, who has served for ten years as an employee of the Tennessee Department of Health in the Upper Cumberland Region; when she chose to end her career with the State, she was serving as the TENNderCARE Community Outreach Coordinator; and

WHEREAS, Carolyn Smith has been most fortunate to enjoy the companionship of her loving husband, Daniel Smith, and she is the proud mother of two daughters, Amanda and Christy; Mrs. Smith's family also includes her parents, Randal and Delcie Walker, and three grandchildren, Joseph, Reece, and Avery; and

WHEREAS, a vital and well-respected member of her community's civic life, Mrs. Smith much of her time and energy to the Disabled Veterans Administration, the Fentress County Fair Board, and the 4-H Club; and

WHEREAS, she is also an active member of her faith community at Byrdstown First

United Methodist Church, where she serves as a member of the Outreach Committee; and

WHEREAS, Carolyn Smith exemplifies the spirit and allegiance to family and community

that are characteristic of a true Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, throughout her estimable career, Mrs. Smith has demonstrated the utmost professionalism, ability, and integrity, winning the unbridled respect and admiration of her colleagues and superiors alike; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and recognize Carolyn Smith for her decade of service as an employee of the Tennessee Department of Health, thank her for all she has done to improve the lives of her fellow Tennesseans, and wish her all the very best in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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